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In re Patent Application of: Abdullah I. HAJ-YEHIA

Application No.: 10/532,390 Int'l No.: PCT/US2003/000878

Int'l File Date: October 24, 2003

For: STEROID COMPOUNDS COMPRISING

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MIMIC GROUPS AND NITRIC OXIDE

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Dear Sir:

This Communication is being co-filed with the response to Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371.

The Applicants note that in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements an inventor declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) is submitted herewith. In addition, a power of attorney, statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73b, copy of the inventor assignment, and a supplemental Application Data Sheet are also submitted herewith.

The Applicants would like to note for the record that the Notification of Missing Requirements dated March 10, 2006 was **not** received from the Office by the Applicants. The copy of the Notice to which the Applicants are responding was identified and downloaded in a PAIRS status check performed by the Applicants. The Applicants have verified via the PAIRS database

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO | · | | | | | | | |
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| include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. The US has been elected (Article 31). | | | | | | | | |
| 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) | | | | | | | | |
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| 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | | | | | | | | |
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| 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compli | ance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. | | | | | | | |
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| 15. A substitute specification. | | | | | | | | |
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